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## Cal OES Internal Statewide Incident Briefing

2000 hours, July 26, 2020



A CAL FIRE copter fills its tanks as it works a fire in Riverside County.

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## National Terrorism Advisory System



### Unclassified // FOUO 72 Hour STAC Report

- Next report on 07/27/20

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Regional EOC	Coastal Regional EOC	Southern Regional EOC
Level 1	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

### Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) activated 03/02/20 at 0700 hours in support of the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Medical Health Coordination Center's (MHCC) statewide response to COVID-19. Cal OES will continue to provide resource coordination for the COVID-19 event, as well as situation status reporting and advance planning across multiple areas.

### Situation Overview

- **California State of Emergency Proclamation**

On 03/04/20, Governor Gavin Newsom declared a State of Emergency for California, as a result of the global COVID-19 outbreak that began in December 2019, to make additional resources available, formalize emergency actions already underway across multiple state agencies and departments, and help the state prepare for broader spread of COVID-19.

- **Executive Order N-33-20**

On 03/19/20, the California State Public Health Officer and Director of the California Department of Public Health ordered all individuals living in the State of California to stay home or at their place of residence, except as needed to maintain Continuity of Operations of the Federal critical infrastructure sectors.

- **Global Health Advisory**

On 03/19/20, the U.S. Department of State issued a Global Health Advisory at Level 4 (Do Not Travel) due to the global impact of COVID-19.

- **FEMA-4482-DR-CA**

On 03/22/20, President Trump approved Major Declarations FEMA-4482-DR-CA (DR-4482) for the COVID-19 Pandemic.

### **Confirmed Global COVID-19 Cases – Per Worldometers COVID-19 Live Updates as of 07/26/20 at 1000 hours:**

- 16,310,454 (+249,356) total confirmed cases in 213 countries
- 650,165 (+5,170) total deaths

### **Confirmed United States COVID-19 Case – Per Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) as of 07/26/20 at 1100 hours:**

- 4,163,892 (+64,582) total confirmed cases
- 145,942 (+929) total deaths

### **Confirmed California COVID-19 Cases - Per Medical Health Coordination Center as of 07/26/20 at 1100 hours:**

- 453,659 (+8,259) total confirmed cases

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.



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# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Cal OES INLAND REGION**

- See COVID-19 slides
- See Fire Activity slides

## **Cal OES COASTAL REGION**

- See COVID-19 slides

## **Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION**

- See COVID-19 slides

## FIRE ACTIVITY

### Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 3	Preparedness Level 3	Preparedness Level 3
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

#### Cal OES Fire Missions

##### **2020-FIRE-36526**

- FEMA US&R “White” IST, consisting of 13 overhead positions from California, deployed to Kona and is staging in Koloa for Tropical Cyclone Douglas and the potential impacts to the Hawaiian Islands.
- CA-TF 2 (Los Angeles County Fire Department) Type 3 US&R Task Force, consisting of 42 personnel, arrived in Kona and is staging in Koloa for potential impacts from Tropical Cyclone Douglas.
- CA-TF 7 (Sacramento Fire Department) Type 4 US&R Task Force, consisting of 25 personnel, have been activated and is staging in Honolulu, Oahu, for potential impacts from Tropical Cyclone Douglas.

##### **2020-FIRE-35725**

- 1 Type I CNG helicopter with MEDEVAC capabilities pre-positioned for the State

##### **2019-FIRE-402**

- Personnel assigned to fuel reduction efforts in CAL FIRE Units: Shasta/Trinity, Nevada/Yuba/Placer, San Benito/Monterey and Fresno/Kings.
  - Five 20-person Hand Crews each and all necessary personnel, support, transportation and materials.
  - 65 additional soldiers to be trained and ready to backfill.
  - Assigned to fuel reduction efforts in SHU, NEU, BEU, and FKU (1 Crew in each unit with the exception of 2 crews in FKU)

##### **CA-ONC-000017**

- Two (2x) California based C-130 MAFFS air tankers have been federalized through a request from National Interagency Fire Center to the US Department of Defense. MAFFS 4 and MAFFS 6, with support personnel from the 146th Airlift Wing / Channel Islands Air National Guard Station (California Air National Guard), are to position at McClellan Airfield, CA, in support of wildland fire operations throughout the Western United States.



# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **COVID-19 Missions**

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.

## **Prepositioned Resources**

### **OES Region IV**

- **Nevada County (XNE) CA-OES-200013:** 1 dispatcher at Region IV Dispatch / Grass Valley Emergency Command Center. Start time: 07/26/20 at 0700 hours.

## **Cal OES INLAND REGION**

### **July Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County**

Location: Hwy 139 x County Rd 91, Canby

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Lava Beds N.P, Modoc N.F

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/26/20 at 0820 hours:

- 15,458 acres, grass, brush and timber, 30% contained
- Fire behavior was active today on all fires within the July Complex
- Threat to BNSF railroads
- Threat to high value commercial timberlands
- Threat to significant historical and cultural areas
- Incidents within the complex: (any decrease in acreage is due to more accurate mapping)
  - Caldwell Fire: 13,125 acres, 0% contained
  - Allen Fire: 966 acres, 60% contained
  - Dalton Fire: 1,367 acres, 80% contained
  - Lone Fire: 143 acres, (Lone Fire burned into the Dalton Fire)
- California Type 2, Team 12 in command
- California Type 1, Team 1 activated to shadow (In brief on 7/26)

### **Activations**

- Modoc County EOC is activated at a Level 3 (lowest)

### **Evacuations**

Evacuation orders are in place for Lava Beds National Monument and campground in the vicinity of Medicine Lake.

- On 07/25/20 at 1848 hours, a Code Red alert was issued by Siskiyou County SO covering a 13 mile radius. This was followed by deputies driving the area to provide additional notices to campers and residents.

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **Cal OES INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Hog, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County**

Location: Hog Flat Reservoir, 10 miles west of Susanville

Jurisdiction: State DPA, FRA, Lassen-Modoc Unit

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/26/20 at 0820 hours:

- 9,545 acres, timber, 55% contained
- Nonresidential Commercial Property Destroyed: 1
- Structures remain threatened
- Incident is assisting City of Susanville with fire protection services as needed
- Private timberland threatened
- CAL FIRE IMT #3 in command

### **Deployments**

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief
- 2 Cal OES Public Safety Communications IBT

### **FMAG**

- An FMAG request was received on 07/19/20 at 2210 hours. After review of the application, the FMAG was placed on hold.

### **Proclamation**

- Lassen County submitted a Proclamation of Local Emergency. The county is requesting CDAA for assistance and relief programs, a Gubernatorial Proclamation and a Presidential Declaration.

### **Evacuations**

- West of Junction SR 36 and SR 44
- East of Goumaz Road and Fredonyer Summit
- This includes all roadways and trails accessed by SR 36 and SR 44
- All trails along SR 36 will remain closed

### **Animal Shelter**

- Lassen Community College, 478-200 CA-139, Susanville, 96130
  - Small animals are in crates

### **Missions**

- **2020-Inland-36121:** Air Resource Board to provide Air Monitoring Rays
- **CA-LMU-003874: #E307:** MIGU-3 is providing data and landline service to Cal Fire Dispatch in Susanville for Hog Fire due to the power outage and the fiber cut on the Frontier Communications network.
- **2020-SOC-36218:** MIGU-4 is deployed to the prison for data\landline providing communications capabilities.



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# **FIRE ACTIVITY**

## **Cal OES INLAND REGION (Continued)**

### **Gold, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County**

Location: Hwy. 139 x County Rd. A-2, 5 miles south of Adin

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA/FRA, Lassen-Modoc Unit

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 07/26/20 at 0820 hours:

- 21,870 acres, grass and timber, 50% contained
- Single Residences Destroyed: 7
- Minimal fire behavior observed overnight
- Continued threat to structures
- Evacuation Orders and Warnings remain in place
- Cultural resources threatened
- CAL FIRE IMT #4 in unified command with USFS

### **Deployments**

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief
- 2 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Mechanics
- 5 Cal OES Public Safety Communications IBT

### **Proclamation**

- Lassen County submitted a Proclamation of Local Emergency. The county is requesting CDAA for assistance and relief programs, a Gubernatorial Proclamation and a Presidential Declaration.

### **Evacuations**

- Zone A - All residents along Hwy 139 from Susanville Road (A-2) south to Termo Grasshopper Road.
- Zone B - Areas south of Ash Valley Road west of Spooner Road, east of Hwy 139, and north of Termo Grasshopper Road.
- Zone C - Areas west of Hwy 139, south of Haydenhill Road, east of Anderson Ranch Road/Dixie Valley Road and north of Long Flat Road.
- Zone G - Area north of Ash Valley Road to Rail Canyon north to the Modoc County line and west to Hwy 139.
- Zone H-1 - Area north of Ash Valley Road at Knox Mountain north to the Modoc County Line and west to Rail Canyon.

### **Shelters / Evacuation Shelters**

- Modoc County in collaboration with the American Red Cross are housing evacuees at the Rim Rock Motel.
  - Overnight Shelter Count: 3 rooms with 3 occupants

### **Critical Infrastructure**

- See Situation Summary slide



## FIRE ACTIVITY

### Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

### Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

# MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

## Lifeline Routes:

- No lifeline route closures.

## Non-Lifeline Routes:

- Click [here](#) for a list of current road closures.

## Wildfire Closures:

- See Fire Activity slides.

## Emergency Center Activations:

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.

## Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check  
current Hwy. conditions.  
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for  
current Hwy. conditions.



# CALIFORNIA 911 SYSTEM

## California 911 Outages

Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

### 911 Outage/Remote/Community Isolations

#### Community Isolation, Norwalk, Los Angeles County

On 07/26/20 at 0527 hours, Charter Spectrum reported via email and a phone call, a community isolation in Norwalk (Los Angeles County) affecting 1,391 VOIP users in zip code 90650.

- Time Outage Started: 07/26/20 at 0214 hours
- Estimated Time of Resolution/Restoration: 07/26/20 at 0815 hours
- Total Outage Time: TBD
- Jurisdiction Affected: Norwalk, Los Angeles County
- Reason For Outage: Charter Network Fault – Fiber cut (fiber damager due to fire)
- Wireless 9-1-1 Calls Impacted: No
- Wireline 9-1-1 Calls Impacted: No
- VoIP 9-1-1 Calls Impacted: Yes. 1391 Users.

#### Service interruption

- None reported.

# **WEATHER OF CONCERN**

## **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

- A Red Flag Warning has been issued for Monday for portions of Del Norte, El Dorado, Lassen, Modoc, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sierra and Siskiyou Counties due to expected thunderstorms and the potential for high winds.
  - Isolated thunderstorms are expected to develop Monday morning and should become scattered across the region by Monday afternoon.
  - Thunderstorms are expected to start off dry in the morning, transitioning to hybrid wet/dry storms in the afternoon.
  - Abundant lightning on existing areas of very dry fuels is possible.
  - Wind gusts up to 50 mph can be expected.

## **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

- Nothing significant to report.

**Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

**Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

# **WEATHER KEY POINTS**

**07/26/20 - 08/01/20**

## **Sunday-Tuesday**

- Scattered afternoon and evening thunderstorms continue across northern CA and across the Sierras along the NV border through early next week
  - A few stronger storms with localized high wind gusts and brief heavy rain possible
  - A few new fire starts possible due to lightning
- Elevated fire weather conditions due to dryness and terrain impacts on wind speeds, especially across northern inland CA
- Moderate heat impacts expected across Inland areas of northern CA on Sunday and Monday.

## **Wednesday-Saturday**

- Low to moderate heat impacts continue for Southern region
- Localized elevated fire weather conditions due to dryness and terrain impacts on wind speeds
- Otherwise fairly quiet weather for much of next week





# CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

07/26/20 - 08/01/20

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
<b>Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds</b>							
<b>Snow</b>							
<b>Coastal Flooding</b>							
<b>River Flooding</b>							
<b>Thunderstorms</b> (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)	Inland/ Coastal	Inland/ Coastal					
<b>Fire Weather</b> (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Inland	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern
<b>Heat Risk</b>	Inland/ Southern	N Inland/ Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern
<b>Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow</b>							
<b>Cold</b>							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

# PRECIPITATION FORECAST

## 07/26/20 - 07/28/20



**Sunday**



**Monday**



**Tuesday**

**Precipitation (inches)**



# **WEATHER OUTLOOK**

**07/31/20 - 08/08/20**

## **6-10 Day Outlook (July 31 – August 4)**

### **Temperatures**

- Above normal temperatures favored statewide

### **Precipitation**

- Near normal precipitation expected statewide

## **8-14 Day Outlook (August 2 – August 8)**

### **Temperatures**

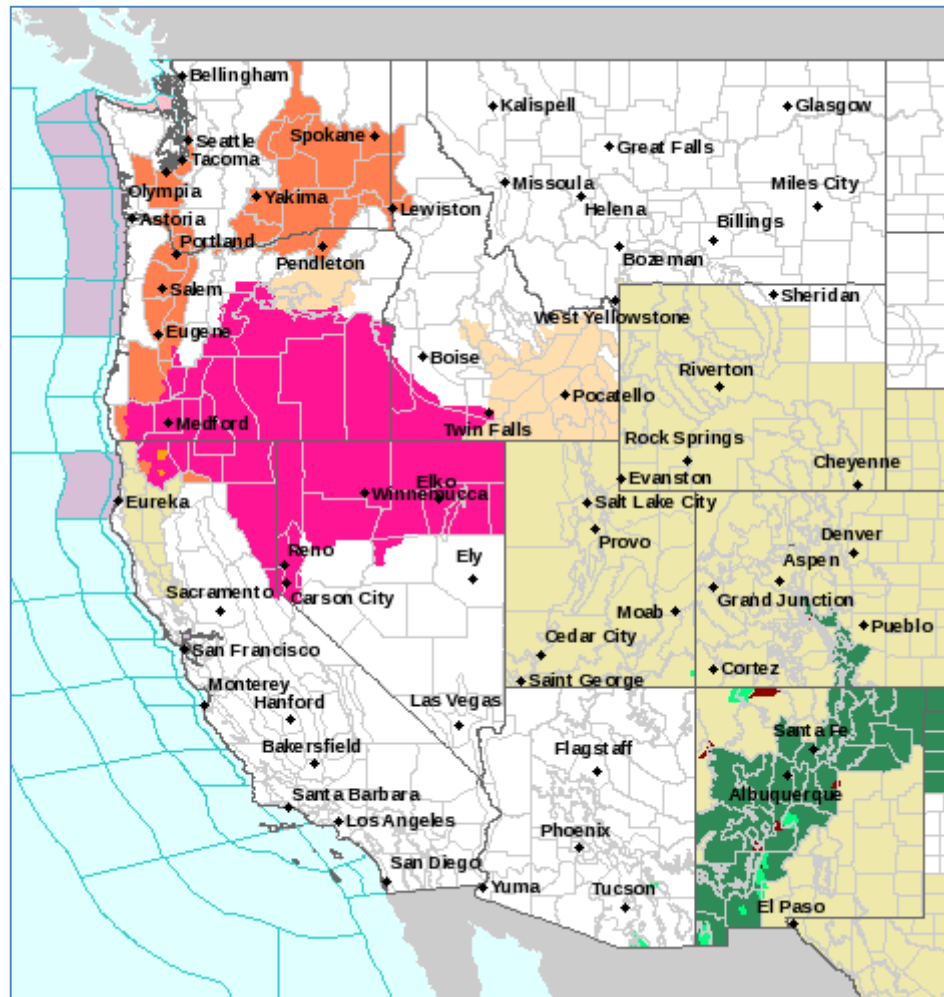
- Above normal temperatures favored statewide

### **Precipitation**

- Near normal precipitation expected statewide



# WEATHER MAP



- [Severe Thunderstorm Warning](#)
- [Flash Flood Warning](#)
- [Flash Flood Watch](#)
- [Red Flag Warning](#)
- [Heat Advisory](#)
- [Flood Advisory](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Gale Watch](#)
- [Fire Weather Watch](#)
- [Special Weather Statement](#)
- [Hazardous Weather Outlook](#)



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# Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

## Cal OES Law Missions

- **2020-LAW-36645, 07/26/20, 0647 hours:** AFRCC advising of a PLB activation at GPS coordinates, 37.24467, -118.678700, plotting West of Mt. Emerson and North of Piute Trail in Inyo County. AFRCC attempted to contact R/O through her cell phone but no response. Voicemail was left. **Update, 07/26/20, 0701 hours:** LDO relayed the activation to Inyo County Sheriff's (ICSO) dispatch and learned they were working a call in the same area for lost climbers, which was originated last night and a SAR response had been initiated. **MISSION ONGOING**



# **Cal OES MISSION TASKING**

## **Cal OES Missions**

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.



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